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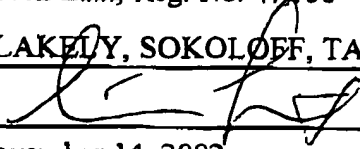
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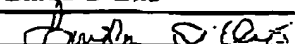
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		Group Art Unit	3683
		Examiner Name	X. NGUYEN
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1002	330	2002	165	Design filing fee	
1003	510	2003	255	Plant filing fee	
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1005	160	2005	80	Provisional filing fee	
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Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
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4	4	0	\$0.00
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1202	18	2202	9	Claims in excess of 20	
1201	84	2201	42	Independent claims in excess of 3	
1203	260	2203	140	Multiple Dependent claim, if not paid	
1204	84	2204	42	Reissue independent claims over original patent	
1205	18	2205	9	Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	
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2053	130	2053	130	Non-English specification	
1812	2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
1804	920	1804	920	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1805	1,840	1805	1,840	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
1251	110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month	
1252	400	2252	200	Extension for reply within second month	
1253	620	2253	450	Extension for reply within third month	
1254	1,440	2254	720	Extension for reply within fourth month	
1255	1,860	2255	980	Extension for reply within fifth month	
1404	320	2401	160	Notice of Appeal	
1402	320	2402	160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1403	280	2403	140	Request for oral hearing	
1451	1,510	2451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
1453	1,280	2453	640	Petition to revive - unintentional	
1501	1,280	2501	640	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
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